

For the Fridge

Volunteer Opportunities

Government

Advisory Board & Commissions	556-2101
Mayor's Office (for school-related community credit)	
Police Department	556-2632
Young Adult Court Mentor Program & Project Smart Turn	206-205-7006
Senior Center	556-2314
Adopt-a-Street	556-2854
Stream Team	556-2832
Parks & Recreation	
Recreation programs	556-2300
Parks & trails projects	556-2322

Schools

Lake Washington School District (includes PALS, Walkabouts, and Lunch Buddies)	702-3300
.....	www.lkwash.wednet.edu
PTSA Council	702-3216

Hospitals

Evergreen Hospital Medical Center	899-1000
.....	www.evergreenhealthnet.org
Hospice	899-1040
Bereavement	899-1077
Overlake Hospital Medical Center	688-5000
.....	www.overlakehospital.org

Library

King County Library System	369-3275
.....	www.kcls.org
Redmond Regional Library	885-1861

Service Agencies

United Way of King County	206-461-3655
.....	www.uwkc.org/volunteer
Family Resource Center	869-6699
.....	www.familyresourcenter.org
(includes the following agencies):	
A Regional Coalition for Housing (ARCH)	861-3677
Camp Fire USA	885-0477
Children's Home Society of WA (Healthy Start)	895-9813
Community Information Line (Crisis Clinic)	206-461-3200
Disability Resource Network	558-0993
Eastside Community Health Center:	
Medical Clinic	882-1697
Dental Clinic	883-8000
Eastside Housing Association	885-0043
Eastside Human Services Alliance	558-9114
Eastside King County Community Network	869-0238
Friends of Youth	869-6490
Habitat for Humanity of East King County	869-6007
Healthy Start	869-6658
Hopelink	869-6000
NAMI Eastside (Mental Health)	885-6264
Seattle Mental Health NW Counseling Institute	
.....	869-6634
Youth Eastside Services	869-6036
Seattle Red Cross	206-323-2345

Community Events

Redmond Parks & Recreation	556-2300
Redmond Chamber of Commerce	885-4014
Marymoor Park (King County Park)	206-296-4452

Unless otherwise noted, all area codes are (425).

Note: This list has been updated to reflect recent changes of which we've been made aware.



city codes

By Carl McCarthy, Code Enforcement Officer

Tree Removal in Residential Areas

What do I need to know as a residential property owner about tree removal?

If you intend to remove or top any tree that is 6 inches or greater in diameter (measured 4 ½ feet above ground) from your property, you will need to obtain a no-fee tree removal permit from the City, and also replace it with a new tree. Dead trees that are removed will not require a replacement tree to be planted, unless the property owner desires to do so.

Who is affected by the tree protection regulations?

The tree protection regulations apply to all property, including all residential properties, within the city limits of Redmond.

Why are tree cutting permits required in residential areas?

The no-fee residential tree cutting permits are required for more than just aesthetic reasons. Tree removal without subsequent tree replacement can possibly cause or create water runoff and erosion problems for your property and neighboring properties as well. It becomes a neighborhood/community problem – not just a private property issue.

Why did the City adopt such an ordinance?

The City adopted such an ordinance because trees provide rich habitat for wildlife, stabilize and enrich the soil, improve air and water quality and moderate the effect of winds and temperatures. Many citizens have also commented that they moved to and remain in Redmond because they enjoy the many trees that are a part of our community.

How many trees can I remove?

You should always contact the City prior to any tree removal. There are many factors that determine how many trees can be removed – such as the size of your property; the size of the trees; the number of trees that you want to remove, retain, and replant; the health of the trees that are proposed to be removed; etc. The City can help determine how many trees can be removed within each calendar year, and whether it is a no-fee tree cutting or a fee based clearing and grading permit that you should be seeking (for multiple trees).

How do I determine what kind of trees to replant?

A general rule for replanting is “like for like”. It also depends on the purpose of the new trees. They could be replanted for the purpose of